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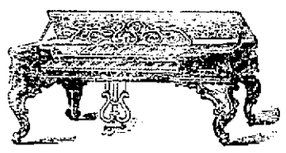
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Thou art crumbling to the dust, old pile!
Thou art hastening to thy fall;
And around thee, in thy loneliness,
Clings the ivy to the wall.
Thy worshippers are scattered now,
Who knelt before thy shrine;
And silence reigns where anthems rose,
In days of "Auld Lang Syne."

And sadly sighs the wandering wind,
Where oft in years gone by,
Prayers rose from many hearts to Him,
The Highest of the High.
The tramp of many a busy foot
That sought thy aisles is o'er,
And many's weary heart around,
Is still for evermore.

How doth ambition's hope take wings!
How droops the spirit now!
We hear the distant city's din,
The cloisters are mute below;
The sun that shone upon their paths
Now glids their lonely graves,
The Zephyrs which once fanned their brows,
The grass above them waves.

Oh! could we call the manly back
Who've gathered here in vain,
Who're cankers rowed, where we do now,
Who'll never meet again;
How would our very hearts be stirred
To meet the earliest gaze
Of the lovely and the beautiful,
The light of other days!

"A STRANGER."

Miscellany.

SNOWED UP WITH A BURGLAR.

CONCLUSION.

So the afternoon wore away, the storm ever deepening, and the wind howling with increased fury as the evening came on, till, while they were at dinner, it seemed as if there must be some terrible catastrophe, so wild and fierce and uncontrolled was it. It made both Smith Butler and George Grey turn quite pale and nervous, it blew so fiercely, with such an unstrained kind of expression in the howling blasts that tore about the chimney, and shrieked against the panes; but Carry and Walter only laughed, as at their best friend; and, who knows? it might continue even over to-morrow, and Walter be bound in his pleasant prison for another twenty-four hours.

"A foolish trick that of yours, Mr. Lechmere," said Mr. Butler, suddenly and with much ill-temper; he had been thinking the same thing as Carry and Walter, and chafing at the prospect of his enforced hospitality, and this most untoward rivalship. "I have always heard you boast of your horsemanship; not very like a good hand to throw your mare and injure her, as it seems you have done, most seriously; seriously, Day said, did she not Banks?"

"Yes, sir," said Banks in his Rhadmanthine official voice.

"I was riding down hill, and she stepped on a loose stone," returned Walter. "The ground was as hard as iron, you know, sir, and as slippery as glass."

"And of course you were riding at a break-neck pace," sneered the host.

"Well, I confess I was a going a little to hard for prudence," answered Walter, throwing his hair from his forehead. Carry had once told him that she liked that action of his, and, with the unconscious vanity of the beloved, he was constantly repeating it now.

'I have always understood that it is very dangerous to ride fast down hill," said George Grey hesitatingly. He was a conscientious little man, and did not like to speak as if he understood things of which he was profoundly ignorant.

'It is not over safe," answered Walter carelessly.

'Then why did you do it?' Carry exclaimed impulsively, pausing in the very act of cutting the damson tart.

'I was in a hurry, Miss Whiston,' was the answer; and Carry blushed up to the roots of her hair, meeting the bright blue eyes leveled at her meaningly.

'Did you meet a tramp not far from here?' then asked Smith Butler, who had not seen this little bit of by-play.

'No, sir, I did not,' Walter answered. 'I met only three men on my way from the station; only three in all the twelve miles, and they were by no means a pleasant looking triad, I should say. But they were not in my way, so I did not trouble myself much about them.'

'Three tramps, did you say? Bless my soul! that makes four in one day! and Carlo is just dead,' cried Mr. Butler, uneasily.

'Carlo dead? Poor old fellow! I did not know that. When did he die? and what did he die of?' asked Walter.

'Why, Caroline, did you not tell Mr. Lechmere that Carlo was dead?' exclaimed Mr. Butler, peevishly. 'Bless my soul, what were you thinking of, to be so remiss as not to tell him that remarkable fact? Banks! why did you not tell Mr. Lechmere that Carlo was dead? did any one ever hear of such negligence?'

'He was found dead in his kennel this morning,' said Carry. 'He was quite well yesterday, and I heard him bark very much in the night, and this morning he was dead.'

'Dear me, how very extraordinary!' simpered George Gray.

'Most extraordinary!' said Mr. Butler, with emphasis. 'I beleive he was poisoned, you know; and to-day comes a tramp about the place who must have vanished into snow, I think, for no one saw him go down the garden, and you did not meet him, you say, Mr. Lechmere; so where the deuce, the fellow got to I cannot for the life of me imagine."

'Oh, he has hidden himself in the hayloft for shelter,' laughed Walter, not particularly interested in the subject.

'Oh, has he?' said Mr. Butler, grimly. 'Banks, tell Day to search the hayloft this moment, and come and tell me if anyone is hidden there or not. Better for him not to be; that is all I can say.'

'Yes, sir,' said Banks, and went into the kitchen, where he and Day (Day was the coachman) had a good laugh at master's fads, over an extra pint beyond their allowance, and then he returned to the dining room, and returned and reported Day as having gone to see, and in due time he reported him as having found the loft tenantless. He had never stirred from the kitchen fire; but that was no consequence; Mr. Smith Butler was content; and looking across the table to Walter, said sneeringly, 'One of your follies as usual, Mr. Lechmere, you see!'

'Not very unlikely though, sir, was it?' said Walter, laughing.

'Very unlikely indeed, I should say,' snapped Mr. Butler. 'I really gave way to the absurdity to satisfy you; I never thought it likely myself.'

'Thank you sir,' said Walter, quite tranquilly: and Carry put in: 'it is always better to sift things if possible,' without laughing.

On the whole, then, this Christmas Eve dinner was a rather a troubled and uncomfortable matter. Mr. Butler paid George Grey marked attention, and openly slighted Walter; while Carry would not speak much to the one and dared not to the other; making up in kind looks for what she was obliged to forego in words. And so they were still in that blissful state of early love, when the very presence of the beloved is happiness enough; even under the jealous jailorship of a hundred eyes, they were happy enough; and for the other, Mr. Butler was too arbitrary to fear, and George Grey to timid to demand.

The evening went better. Carry played and sang, while her uncle dozed, and George Grey stared at the fire; but Walter Lechmere turned the pages for her, and put in a bass when her voice needed the support. And the warmth and music and brilliant lighting of the room, that subtle glow of Christmas time, which all the innocent and happy feel, made them forget the storm raging out of doors—or, if reminded of it, they blessed it as shipwrecked seamen bless the wind that drives them into port; while making them also so lovingly confident of the future, and so sure that their happiness would some day be perfected.

At last it came to an end, and the party separated; Walter and Carry more in love than ever, and more resolute and happier, and George Grey deeply and profoundly wretched. And as they separated, Smith Butler said, fretfully, "That fellow has quite shaken my nerves to-day! I shall dream of him, I know, and very likely have the nightmare. An ill-looking dog. I wonder what has become of him?"

'Well uncle did you dream of the tramp?' said Carry the next morning.

'Yes, I did,' he answered sourly; 'and what is more, I could have taken my oath I heard stealthy footsteps walking about the passage and the dining-room door unlock and open.'

'Oh, uncle!' laughed the girl, 'what a fancy!'

'I suppose it was a fancy, Caroline,' said Smith Butler, grimly. 'But it was not one to laugh at, for all that. Shall I ever teach you softness and respect of manner? shall I ever make a lady of you?'

Carry colored. It was not very pleasant to be snubbed, she thought, before Walter and George Grey; but the pretty little pout of but a half a moment passed off like a flying shadow from a flowerbed; and, going round to where her uncle sat warming his feet and spreading out his hands to the blaze, she laid her fresh round cheek on his sallow forehead and said caressingly, "I did not mean to be disrespectful, uncle."

'Which does not alter the fact, though it may modify its meaning, Caroline,' returned that gentleman sententiously.

Then Banks coming in with the urn, they placed themselves at the the table, and the breakfast began; both Walter and Geo. Gray internally convulsed with love, each in his own way, and longing to have been that grim and coffee-colored uncle, if only for the bliss of that one sweet caress.

Suddenly Mr. Butler spoke: 'Caroline!' he said, hastily and angrily.

'Yes, uncle dear?' and the bright face turned like a sunbeam to him.

'How often have I said I would not have the food sent up to our table touched in the kitchen?'

'My pigeon pie,' said her uncle, furiously, and he struck the handle of his knife upon the table. 'Look, here—what do you call this, eh? is not this being touched? What do you mean by this Caroline?' He dragged the dish forward.

Carry saw to her dismay the pigeon pie, which was her uncle's peculiar breakfast dish—touched by no one but herself—more than half devoured.

'Ring the bell at once,' he cried, 'and have up Banks to answer for himself. I will have no foolish stories told me of cats or mice, perhaps blackbeetles, but I'll know the truth of this at once—at once!'

So Walter rang the bell and Banks came to the summons, as he always did, as quickly as if he had been listening at the door.

'Banks! what is the meaning of this exclaimed Mr. Butler pointing to the dishonored pie.

'It's come now,' thought Banks.—'Well, sir, I can't exactly tell you,' he replied calmly. 'This morning, when I came down stairs the cellaret door was open, and I see a lot of port wine and brandy had been took; and when cook went to the larder, there was plates and a knife and fork, and this pigeon pie all pulled about ten times worse nor you see it now, and one leg of the turkey gone, and bread and other things eat beside. But who did it, sir, I know no more than the dead, nor does none of us down stairs; for we've all been a talking of it over, and can't make nothing of it, noways.'

Smith Butler turned pale, and pushed back his chair. 'Do you mean to tell me that we have robbers concealed in the house?' he said. 'Snowed up with a legion of burglars waiting to murder us?' He became violently agitated, and his cough grew convulsive.

'I don't say that, sir,' responded Banks respectfully, but I do say as how it's a curious thing and no accounting for it, as I can see.

'Are any of us sleep-walkers?' said Walter.

'Bless my soul, Mr. Lechmere, what rubbish you do talk, to be sure!' Smith Butler cried. 'Sleep-walkers do not walk into pigeon pies and turkeys' legs. Such foolish observations do no good, sir! They only distract one's mind from the main facts, and are worse than useless. For the present, as Banks says, I see no way of accounting for it. So Banks, you may go; and here, take this mess down stairs, and never let me see a pigeon pie on my table again as long as I live; do you hear?'

Banks and his master was right, there was no accounting for such an extraordinary phenomenon; so the fact remained as before, unexplained and inscrutable—the fact of a midnight appetite among them, which had satisfied itself on Smith Butler's own peculiar viands—prowling even into his larder, and violating the sanctuary of his cellaret. So the thing remained but Walter brought a little serenity to the host by offering to search the house thoroughly after breakfast, and make sure no one was concealed within its walls. And then Mr. Butler felt glad that today was as bad, if not worse than yesterday, and said quite cordially for him:

'We shall be obliged to keep you prisoner over our poor Christmas-day, I see, Mr. Lechmere; it is impossible for you to face such weather as it is.'

He thought that if they were locked up with a burglar, it was quite as well to have Walter's strong arm and well-known courage to help them through; George Grey being but a 'muff,' and he himself 'but a poor creature, owing to his health;' Banks 'not to be depended on—men servants never are; and Day living out of the house, at the end of the garden with his wife, the family laundress, and his brother, the family gardener.

Walter bowed and smiled, and turned rather red, and thanked Carry's uncle warmly; and after breakfast they all went through the ceremony of searching the house thoroughly."

They made quite a formidable party—the three gentlemen and Banks; and they loked everywhere (save in Carrie's room of course) peering into every recess; George Grey especially great in looking behind window shutters and chests of drawers, and other places leaving a clear space of about a couple of inches or so; but they found nothing—not a trace, not a line of the midnight consumer of Mr. Butler's pigeon pie. There was a small kind of a dust hole in the further garret, which they did not enter. The door was locked, and the key had been lost these twenty years, Smith Butler said; so they passed that by as labor lost indeed, to stir up the dust of twenty years, though Walter would have got the door open by some means or other, had he been allowed to do so; but Mr. Butler, who had become tired by this time, was peevish and cross; and so they all streamed down stairs again—Walter laughing at the whole affair, and even George Grey putting in his perky little word of scoffing courage, so fearfully like a bantam's crow.

What a strange day it was, this Christmas day! Here they were, actually 'snowed up,' and unable to get a dozen yards from the house. Day, the coachman, had attempted to get to the road, had been obliged to turn back again; the way was utterly impracticable. Gullystone was one of those unfortunately situated places always 'in' for everything bad that came in the way of weather. Floods, snow, frost, winds, spent most of their fury on this lone, bleak house; so that when Day reported them prisoners by drifts, no one was surprised. Drifts higher than a man on horseback, and of that thin, powdery snow which will not bear anything heavier than a weasel of a stoat, hemmed them in on all sides; even round the house many of the lower windows were blocked up and darkened with the piled-up heaps. And the drifts were increasing—for it was still snowing as thickly as before, and the wind was still blowing from the same quarter, though not so fiercely. There was no help for it; they were all caged and imprisoned as surely as if they had a guard of soldiers or a grating of iron bars to keep them in; and, enemies or lovers, sick or well, they must make the best of it, and pass the time as pleasantly as they could.

Smith Butler was of neither help nor hindrance as things were. He was in too feeble and irritable a state of nerves and health to bear society for many hours at a time; so he went to his study soon after breakfast, where he made believe to read, but where he did really doze for half the day, and the three young people were left to themselves. If only that horrible nuisance, that George Grey had been out of the way, thought Carry and Walter, what a time of veritable paradise it would have been!

But George was an institution for the moment, and they must bear with him—bear with his silly simpers, and his wild dashes at lovemaking, at which Carry laughed to his face, when she did not reject them more scornfully; as, when he came up to her once, trembling and dancing, simpering, and looking more like a stage imbecile than anything else, and asked her, point blank, boom! like the firing of a gun, without ever a match being lighted, "to give him a lock of her hair as a Christmas present, it would be so nice!"

To which said Miss Carry, disdainfully enough, "I will give you a lock of Fido's, Mr. Grey; that will be more to the purpose, I think!"

But George simpered again, and said, "Oh fie Miss Whiston! to compare yourself with Fido!"

But, as all things come to an end at last, so did this strange Christmas-day, getting itself buried beneath the holly and the mistletoe, the plum-pudding and the punch, and the rest of its national grave-clothes, not to reappear for another three hundred and sixty-five day; when it would spring upon the earth again, fresh, lively, youthful, and jocund as before, making glad hearts and happy homes; healing up old sores, and contenting new ties; and again get joyously buried and put away among the dead sweets of time.

And when they were all in bed and asleep—only poor, irritable, peevish Smith Butler sleeping in short snatches, and walking for long, dreary watches—a thick-set, brutal-looking, begrimed man crept cautiously out of the closet in the garret, which Walter Lechmere would have opened but was prevented, and, with the aid of a dark lantern, made his way noiselessly down stairs, and again devoured Smith Butler's viands, and drank his brandy and his wine. And while he ate and drank, in his stealthy, wolfish silence and rapacity, he glared round at the valuables in the dining-room, and handling a pistol concealed in his pocket, said in a hoarse whisper to himself, "Ah! we shall have a rare swag when the time comes!" Then he crept back to his lair again, and carefully locking the door after him with a skeleton-key that could lock and unlock most things, pulled over him a pile of rugs a huge wolf-skin "borrowed" from the hall, and turning round on his side, went to sleep witout snoring.

On the next morning the scene of yesterday was in a measure renewed.—Again had food been eaten and wine drank by some one on the premises, getting up in the dead of the night to satisfy his unearthly craving; and still the mystery as to who it was, and way, remained as dense as ever. Even Walter was puzzled, and Carry a little uneasy; while the servants were scared as if there was a real live ghost among them, and George Grey was unaffectedly frightened of his own shadow. As for Mr. Butler, this second mystery completed the prostration of his nerves. He sat in his study all the day, his head bent on his breast, his nervous hands drumming restlessly on the table, and his very sense strained like the senses of a man in incipient brain-fever, to catch the faintest sound or sign of anything extrordinary. But the house was as still as the tomb, save for the occasional bursts of music wafted from the drawing-room, or the quickening step of a servant-maid, scurrying through the passages as if pursued by a specter. The theory of ghosts not eating brought but little comfort to them; and when Banks, in his quality of hero, ridiculed their fear of burglars and the like, reminding them of that through the house, not a few among them shared George Grey's ideas respecting the space which solid bodies are supposed to occupy, and mentioned place as unexplored and likely, into which nothing thicker than a deal board could have crept.

By the afternoon the weather changed; the wind fell, a steady rain came down, and a quick thaw set in; and by the early evening "the roads might be presumed to be open," said Walter, a little maliciously, glancing at Carry, "should he relieve Mr. Butler then today?"

To which the old man replied angrily that he would not suffer him to leave on any account; he absolutely forebade it; he would not hear another word about it. What! leave them in the state in which they were, with a vampire, ghoul in the house! a thing shut up with them, they knew not what nor where—but, whether tangible or intangible, a mystery and a horror! a murderer, perhaps; a raving maniac: and Walter (he called him Walter in his agitation) to think of leaving! No! He would not allow it; decidedly and distinctly he would not. And Walter did not need the prohibition to be repeated. Then, seeing that Mr. Butler was getting really ill with fear and nervousness, he offered, if it would be any satisfaction to him, to sit up this coming night, and watch for the intruder quietly—in his own mind, unspoken to any one, he suspected poor Banks, and made very sure he should catch him,—which offer Smith Butler accepted unreservedly, adding a half surly compliment on his "pluck" which sounded more like a sneer than a compliment. And so another day passed with the former, in the lovers' almost unalloyed happiness, in George Grey's unalloyed misery, and in Smith Butler's as well to bear his company.

The night came on. Still the heavy pelting rain, falling, falling, like the endless pattering of beads; but there was no wind with it; it was a straight incessant dowpour; the kind of rain which dulls all sounds, both because of the humidity of the air, and the hard, mending patter of the drops. When they had all gone up to their respective rooms, Walter went quietly down stairs again—taking a loaded revolver with him to satisfy Smith Butler, though he laughed heartily at the precaution.

For some time he sat by the dying embers of the fire, till the last spark of that too disappeared; and he was in the dead unlighted dark. But all was still, not a sound, not a whisper, save the plashing of the remorseless rain and the loud ticking of the clocks. Gullystone was a large, old-fashioned house, truly; and the servants' offices were quite distinct from the dwelling part of the family; and as Walter was watching to catch the thief at the cellaret, he did not watch for burglars, let noiselessly in at the kitchen door by a barefooted confederate concealed in the house. No one sitting where he was now, in the dining-room, with the door shut, could possibly have heard the slight rustle that was made as the three men passed in, then crept up the kitchen stairs in their listed shoes, noiselessly, stealthily, one by one.

Suddenly was heard Smith Butler's voice—first one wild, piercing shriek, waking the dead echoes of the night with horrible force; then a rough voice as if muttering an oath, and the muffled sound of a man's struggle.

Walter dashed up the stairs, the revolver in his hand; and in less time than it takes to write, stood in Smith Butler's room, face to face with four armed men. Two were ransacking the room—already boxes were broken open, wardrobes, and safes, and drawers all rifled, while many valuables were thrown in a heap on the floor; a third held the poor old man by the throat; while the fourth was just slipping across the passages to where Walter's room door stood a little ajar.

What followed was the deadly struggle of men for life. Four against one were heavy odds; but Walter was brave, with the bravery of blood and training, which always go further than the bad courage of desperate crime.—He shot down one man leveling a pistol at his head—it was but the turn of a hair whose shot was first; another he stunned with the life preserver he wrenched from his own hand; but the remaining two were pressing hard upon him, and one had already wounded him severely with his knife, when Banks appeared, in the crazed way of footmen rudely awakened, and snatching up Walter's revolver, which had been knocked out of his hand by one of the men now upon him, fired. It might have been in the air; it might have been at Mr. Butler, or at Walter, or at himself, for all he knew; he fired blindly, instinctively, and by chance; but, by good providence, he happened to hit one of the two remaining burglars, and brought him to the ground with a broken leg. And now the other, seeing that the game was up, leaped down the stairs and dashed out into the darkness of the night, leaving his three companions wounded and bleeding on the floor. By this time, too, Walter had fainted; and by this time Carry, roused by the shots, had rushed into the room, calling her uncle's name and Walter's, to meet a ghastlier sight than she had ever dreamed of even; by this time George Grey had been pulled out, shivering, from under the bed where he had hidden himself, and set to such work as he could perform, by Banks, who now that he had only prostrate foes to deal with, and was master of the situation, came out grandly; and, by this time, poor Smith Butler demanded special care, for he lay as if dead, paralyzed with terror, and it was long before he could be restored.

So now there was enough to do in the house, and every one must work with a will. Of the three men wounded, not one was vitally hurt; but the two who had been shot were disabled, but no more; while Walter's knife stab, just escaping the heart and grazing the lungs, was of infinitely worse complexion. However, things all wore round in time. The doctor was sent for, and the constable, and between the two, the inmates and the disturbers of Gullystone were pretty well cared for. Almost as soon as it was light next day, George Grey crept crestfallen homewards. Carry did not care to conceal her disdain for that cowardly act of his—how cowardly it must have seemed to her, rushing into the very midst of danger to bear her part with the rest, and share the perils, or shield from them, the one she loved, let her own braver deeds explain. The poor, meek, tortured creature could not bear his shame, but sorrowfully and miserably retreated to Grey's court, and in a few days wrote to Smith Butler a formal renunciation of his pretensions to Miss Whiston's hand.

When Walter Lechmere made his demand, Smith Butler no longer withheld his consent, acknowledging, a little unnecessarily, that perhaps it was better, on the whole, to have a man in the establishment who could fight if required; one needed such things sometimes. But his consent was given only on consideration that Walter lives at Gullystone quietly, and does not attempt to take Caroline away, to follow his profession in Spain, or any of that nonsense. He was to stay there as the fighting man and family protector—did he hear? and if he did not like that arrangement he should make no other.

As Walter did like the arrangement, the marriage took place in the early spring; and if the Dunmow flitch was not claimed when justly due, it was not because it ought not to have been. But Smith Butler did not live long under the shadow of Walter's protecting manhood. The burglary and personal violence to which he had been subject were too much for him; and he died before another Christmas-day came round, repeating, in the last feeble wanderings of reason just preceding death, with an accent expressive of profoundest horror, "Snowed up with a burglar."

AN ARAB MASON.—Ald-el Kader, while recently passing through Blois, received a deputation of the Freemasons of that city, joined by one of Tours and one of Nantes. The Freemasons complimented him on his acts of humanity and charity during the massacres in Syria. The emir thus replied: "I thank the present committee for Freemasonry in general. I regard Freemasonry as the first institution of the world; and, in my opinion, any man who does not prefer to be a Freemason is an incomplete man. I hope the day will come when the principles of the order will prevail in all the world, and then all its people will be at peace.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.—A Fort Wayne paper speaks of what it calls an important railroad project, which contemplates the construction of a road from Vincennes, Ind., to Indianapolis, thence to Fort Wayne and Toledo. The special object, it says, "of the proposed road is to secure direct railroad communication from Southwestern Indiana to the lakes, for the transportation of produce and other freight to the East. A road for this purpose, starting at Vincennes, would be almost a straight line, through Indianapolis and Fort Wayne, to Toledo on Lake Erie."—*Toledo Blade.*

THREE CENTS WOTH OF CHOLERA.—A little girl being sent to a store to purchase some dye stuff, and forgetting the name of the article, said to the clerk;

John, what do folks dye with?"

"Die with? Why, cholera sometimes," replied John.

"Well, I believe that's the name. I want to have three cents' worth."

A NOVEL LOAN.—A soldier with a huge pair of "understandings" called upon a boot-black the other day to "shine up" his boots. The urchin contemplated the size of the job for a few moments and then called out to a comrade, "I say Bill, lend us a spit, won't yer? I've got an *army contract!*"

☞ The newest style of houses in Philadelphia have the dining-room upstairs, above the parlors instead of below. Several of the banks have a dining-room, where dinner is regularly served to all hands, at the expense of the banks.

WIFE, (*Complainingly.*)—"I haven't more than a third of the bed."

HUSBAND, (*triumphanly.*)—"That's all the law allows you."

Reading for the Young.

A Noble Boy.

The following episode in street life—life in Paris—is a beautiful gem, and should find a place in all memories, surrounded with pearls of sweetest thought and gentlest sympathy:

"About nine o'clock in the morning, a little boy of twelve, whose jacket and white apron distinctly indicated that he followed the profession of a pastry cook, was returning from market with an open basket upon his head, containing butter and eggs. When he reached the vicinity of the Church of St. Eustache, the little fellow, who could only with difficulty make his way thro' the crowd, was violently jostled by a stranger who was passing, so that his basket tipped and fell to the ground with its contents. The poor lad, when he saw his eggs all broken and tumbled into the gutter, began to cry bitterly and wring his hands. A person who happened to be in the crowd that gathered round the little fellow, drew a ten sou piece from his pocket, and giving it to the boy asked the rest who stood grouping around to do the same, to make up the loss occasioned by this accident. Influenced by this example, every one present complied, and very speedily the boy's apron contained a respectable collection of copper and silver. When all had contributed their quota, one young valet, whose distress had vanished in a moment as though by enchantment, warmly thanked his new benefactors for their kindness, and forthwith proceeded to count the money he had received, which amounted to no less than twenty-two franks and thirty-five centimes. But instead of quietly putting this sum into his pocket, produced the bill of the articles he had lost, and appropriated no more than that sum, and then observed in the crowd that surrounded him, a poor woman in rags, the gallant little fellow walked right up to her, and placed the remainder in her hand. Certainly it would have been impossible to show himself more deserving of public generosity, or to acknowledge it in a handsomer manner. The boy's noble conduct was greeted by the applause of the crowd."

Harry's Sermon.

"Eddie," said Harry, "let's go to church; and I'll be the minister, and preach you a sermon."

"Well," said Eddie, "and I'll be the peoples."

So Harry led him away, and they went up stairs together. He set an old fire screen in front of him, by way of a pulpit, and thus began:

My text is a very short and easy one, "Be kind." There are some little texts in the Bible on purpose for little children, and this is one of them.—These are the heads of my sermon:

Firstly. Be kind to papa, and don't make a noise when he has a headache. I don't believe you know what a headache is, but I do. I had one once, and I didn't want any one speak a word.

Secondly. Be kind to mamma, and don't make her tell you to do a thing more than once. It's very tiresome to say, "It is time for you to go to bed," half a dozen times over.

Thirdly. Be kind to baby.

"You have left out the kind to Harry," interrupted Eddie.

"Yes," said Harry, "I didn't mean to mention my own name in my sermon." I was saying, be kind to little Minnie; and let her have your red soldier to play with, when she wants it.

Fourthly. Be kind to Jane, and don't scream and kick when she washes and dresses you.

Here Eddie looked a little ashamed, and said:

"But she pulled my hair with the comb."

"People mustn't talk in meeting," said Harry.

Fifthly. Be kind to kitty. Do what will make her purr, and don't do what will make her cry.

"Isn't the sermon most done," asked Eddie, "I want to sing," and without waiting for Harry to finish his discourse, or to give out a hymn, he began to sing, and so Harry had to stop; but, it was a very good sermon. Don't you think so?—*Freedmen's Journal.*

Well Done.

Not long since a class of little boys in Sunday School were engaged in reciting the wonderful history of the creation, which formed their lesson. The class had progressed to that part of the narrative in which the creation of light, and the expression on the part of the Creator on beholding the work of His almighty power are related. The teacher at this point asked, "And what did God say when he had created light?" A little boy, seven years of age, whose turn it was to answer the question, was at a loss for a reply. He looked thoughtful for a moment, and then, with eyes glistening with delight that he had recalled the fugitive idea, he answered, "God said, THAT'S WELL DONE!" The boy had the idea, but his rendering of it was original and forcible.

"THE DESOLATE."—Some little Sunday school folks at play tried to personify their elders, when one stepped up and said, "Now let us sing the Desolate," meaning the Doxology, with which the school usually closed.

☞ The leading Mormons in matrimonial respects are the following: Brigham Young, 185 wives; Silas Roedner, 129; Jeremiah Stern, 111; Job Billisen, 92; Julius Hoffman, 91; Habacuc Crontzy, 84; Gideon Ruffin, 81.

☞ An Irish dragoon officer, on hearing that his widowed mother had married since he quitted Ireland, exclaimed, "Murthur! I hope she won't have a son older than me; if she does I shall lose the estate."

☞ John Brougham is dramatizing "Our Mutual Friend," and the play will soon be brought out in New York.

☞ It estimated that thirty tons of white paper are used daily in the manufacture of paper collars.

Racine Journal.

WM. L. UTLEY, Editor.

RACINE. JAN. 31th, 1866.

Milwaukee and the rest of God's Creation.

It is amusing, especially to a Racine man, to hear the lamantations of the Milwaukee people about the injustice of people in other parts of the State interfering with their prosperity. How delicately they appeal to the pride of the people about having a big city in this State, instead of aiding and abetting those who are trying to build up a large place in another State. We confess that we feel something of that pride, and have always been opposed to any movement that would have a tendency to injure any of the interests of our State, and in the whole four terms of our legislative career, we never gave a vote that would help any other place, outside of the State, as against Milwaukee; but the intolerable selfishness of the Milwaukee people has nearly drove all that feeling out of us, and has got them into disrepute in almost every part of the State. Now, we would really like to see Milwaukee grow and be prosperous; we would like to see the whole North-West drained through her. But it will never be done until her people manifest a better spirit towards her neighbors.—It will be a very hard thing for the Racine delegation to take sides with Milwaukee in this Land Grant Railroad fight, when Milwaukee is doing her best to cut our throats, (as she is now and always has been). It is all right for Milwaukee, after Racine has put forth all her energies to build a Plank Road 60 or 70 miles, to run out and tap it at some convenient place, in order to prevent anything coming in here. It is all well enough for Milwaukee, after Racine has spent, and been spent to build one of the best Railroads in the State, to sneak out and tap it at some tender point, in order to check our *unparalelled prosperity*, but let anybody tap anything running into Milwaukee, that they think will let out a little of their sap, then there is a howl about intolerance and persecution, and the plea for a big city comes in. The fact has not been fully demonstrated as yet, that it is better to have only one very large place in the State than it is to have several pretty good sized ones. We have to say to you Milwaukee people, that this tapping business is very disagreeable, we have found it so for sometime; and now when you, who have manifested such an extraordinary zeal in tapping others, camplain about being tapped, we feel like "Laughing at your calamity, and mocking when your fear cometh. Selah."

After all, we rather like the Milwaukee folks, and would like to see them prosper, and have always been opposed to killing our own cities, and making our State tributary to Chicago. The wealth of our State should be retained within the State, if possible, and if the Milwaukee people are really anxious about the prosperity of the Eastern portion of our State, let them be magnanimous to others interested in the same good work, let them go on with their legitimate growing and prosperity, instead of spending their precious time in trying to put straws in the way of their neighbors.

Now we would not have any one think our people care anything about this tapping business, not at all, we rather like it, since we are getting used to it; it is the principle of finding fault with others for what they practice themselves, that we are dealing with. But go on with your hellish schemes, there is a day of judgment ahead that will bring you to time.

MOUNT PLEASANT, January 25, 1866.

Editor Journal:—Knowing you to be a tax-payer in the town of Mount Pleasant, we wish to enquire of you whether you can tell by what authority, or by what right, the collector of our town has collected the tax levied to assist persons that might be drafted, in a draft about to be made in this town at that time. The draft never having come off, of course, there was no necessity for collecting the money.—What use do they intend to make of the money? By throwing some light on this subject you will confer a great favor upon

MANY TAX-PAYERS.

We come down, and confess that we are unable to give any satisfactory answer as to why, or what for, money is raised in Mount Pleasant, and we suppose we may be told that it is none of our business, and the only thing for any of us to do is, to pay whatever is laid before us, and no growling. Now, as it regards the collection of the tax for drafted men, which was voted last spring, they had no moral right, to say the least, to collect it; the necessity for it having ceased in consequence of there being no draft. The only ostensible object that we can see is the percentage for collection. Now, it seems to us, that a decent regard for the interest of neighbors, friends and tax-payers should have dictated to the tax-gatherer the propriety of letting that matter rest. Each and every one has enough to bear in paying the necessary legetimate taxes, without paying money to create an illegal fund, to lay idle in the hands of the treasurer, a bone of contention until it can be legally or illegally applied to some purpose. We think that the tax-payers of Mount Pleasant will be willing to have this matter aired after a while. We shall be glad to hear from the tax gatherer on this subject.

Hoora! for Johnson.

If what is reported as having come from Johnson, is true, respecting amendments to the Constitution, we are glad of it, for we like it; we believe that there will be some improvement in the Constitution, but it would never do to throw it open to the ambition of every tinkering politician. It would soon be like old Lish Talcot's vest, that was patched until the original pattern was the smallest piece there was in it, or like the Wisconsin Statutes, if there is a section of them which has not been amended, it is owing to its having been overlooked. Representation in Congress according to the number of actual voters in each State. We are satisfied with that; taxation according to the amount of property, we go that. *Hoora! for Johnson!* We don't care what office he gives us, so it pays.

THE LEGISLATURE.—Our Legislature seems to be plodding along after the old sort. They have not yet reached the great bone of contention, the land grant. If there are to be any bonds issued *kinder* privately, the JOURNAL office is open to conviction as to the best road.

☞ A plain and elderly lady will believe anything, if you only give her credit for youth and beauty.

The Golden Wedding.

Of which we made some allusion in our last issue, came off in this city on the 22d inst.

It having became known in the Masonic Lodge, No. 18, that a brother—William Coplan, Esq.—was that day celebrating his fiftieth marriage anniversary, they concluded to to give the happy couple a surprise party, and see that the thing was done up decently and in order; consequently, after the Lodge was closed, the members, with such others as chose to join, repaired to the house in a body, where the ceremony of the Golden Wedding was duly performed by David McDonald, Esq., who also presented the bridegroom with a beautiful gold-headed cane, with appropriate remarks. The bride was also presented with two beautiful gold rings.

We were not present, but we learned from others that they had a glorious time, and that the old couple performed their part to the entire satisfaction of all.

But the old man—although he assumes to be nothing but an humble citizen, carries in his bosom a big, proud heart—was not satisfied with the hospitality with which he received them, (though everybody else was). He therefore determined on an infare the next evening. We were invited, and we can truly say that it was good to be there, altho' the store of headache we laid in for the next day by partaking too freely of the good things provided for the occasion, was grievious to bear; nevertheless it was not sufficient to drive away the recollection of the many pleasing incidents of the evening.

There was no lack on this occasion, and the free good will with which it was offered would induce anyone, no matter how great a dyspeptic, to disregard all rules of diet; there was fun, stories and songs there. And here let us say that we fell in with a new genius on that occasion. A Mr. Boker was there. We have known him for some time, and yet we did not know how full he was of fun and songs; besides his inimitable power of delineating character, he sings elegantly; that is he can sit and sing an old-fashioned song that has got sense in it, like "In the down hill of life, when I find I'me declining," &c., without prelude or symphonies. We hope to meet him again.

During the evening the old man related an incident connected with his first wedding.—We wish we could relate it as he told it, with the fire of youth once more burning in his countenance. We were pleased with the *old-fashioned*, modest reluctance with which the old lady allowed him to relate any yarn concerning their marriage or courtship.

The incidents of that marriage carry us away back to a period when men and women were useful. They lived for a purpose, and that purpose was to multiply and replenish the earth, drive away the wild beast and the savage, and clear away the forests and plant schoolhouses and churches—and how gloriously they carried out that purpose may be seen in the towns and cities, and the homes that are spread out over the thousands of miles of what was then a dreary, trackless wilderness, where many a large city now stands. At that time (to use the language of another,) "the Indian wooed his dusky maid, and the fox dug his hole in the ground unscared."

The only operas they had in those days were performed by the wolves, and the only tragedies were performed by savages. Tecumseh was the Forest of that day.

But to the old man's story:

It seems that William lived on one side of the Ohio river, and Rachel on the other; or, in other words, William lived in Ohio, and Rachel in Virginia, with the brave Ohio rolling between. All the moonlight work had been done, and the day had been fixed upon when they were to be joined together, and no broad river should separate them again in this life.

On the 22d day of January, 1816, in the little town of Gallipolis, on the Ohio side of the river, might have been seen a small party of men on horseback wending their way out of town towards the only ferry in that vicinity. The principle horseman, or the one who seemed to have direction of affairs, was a medium sized young man, with mild blue eyes, giving him an altogether pleasing look—one that was well calculated to remind the maidens of that day of the great injunction of the Almighty to multiply, &c. It was evident from the appearance of the young man that some great event was about to take place with him. His countenance bore a calm but anxious expression, which increased as they neared the ferry, for it was discovered that the river was filled with floating ice which would probably prevent the ferry-boat from crossing. They soon learned that their fears were to well grounded; neither threats nor promises could induce the ferryman to attempt to cross. Slowly and sadly the party turned back; but they had not proceeded far, however, when the young man we have described stopped his horse and dismounted, took from his horse the indispensable saddle-bag of that day. It may be proper for us to say here that in those times men did not wear all they were worth upon their backs. Store clothes were only put on on certain occasions. When travelling they were stowed away in the above mentioned saddle-bags.

"What are you doing, William?" enquired one of the company, on seeing William hauling sundry articles of his wardrobe from the bag and tie them up in a large Bandanna handkercheif.

"Boys," said he, "I have promised Rachel that I would be there to-night, and I am a going to do it or die in the attempt."

Remonstrance was in vain. After giving instructions what to do with his horse and what to say in case he perished, he started on his fearful and never to be forgotten passage of the Ohio river. It would take too long to tell of the fearful leaps he made over the crevices in the broken masses of ice, eagerly watched by his comrades and the citizens on the opposite shore. At last he neared the shore, but to his horror he discovered that there was a wide space betwixt the solid ice and the shore filled with a boiling mass of ground ice. Here, for the first time, he faltered, and looked back to his companions, But the spirit of the young oysterman came over him, which is found in the following lines:

> "I've read in a story-book,
> That for to kiss his dear,
> Leander swam the Hellespont,
> And I will swim this here."

After giving his bundle a toss as near the shore as possible, he made a leap into the boiling sea of ice. Exclamations might have been heard on either shore, "he is lost!" as he disappeared under the ice. "No! he comes up! he is safe!" Kind friends assisted him up the bank and assisted him in changing his frozen garments for those in the bundle. He was now sent forward, and arrived in time to fill his promise to Rachel, and on that night, Jan. 22d, 1816, was married by ———, Esq., Mr. William Coplan, of Gallipolis, Ohio, to Miss Rachel Varian, of Point Pleasant, Virginia.

After the old man had finished his story, someone suggested the idea that he would hardly make the passage now. The old man jumped from his chair, and, says he, "I would do it or die, if she was on the other side." Such devotion is refreshing in these days of divorce and elopements.

Fifty years they had buffeted the storms of life together, and we found them on this fiftieth anniversary night, sailing down the stream of time as happily and lovingly as when they first began, reminding us of these beautiful lines:

> John Anderson my Jo John,
> We climed life's hill togither,
> And mony a canny time, John,
> We've had wi' ane anither;
> Now we mun totter down, John,
> Yet hand in hand we go,
> An' we'el sleep togither at the foot,
> John Anderson my Jo.

We know but little concerning their family matters, or the number of children they have raised. They have, no doubt, fulfilled the law made and provided on that subject. Two fine looking daughters superintended matters on this very rare occasion—the Golden Wedding.

May the Lord give them an abundance of years, and an abundance of good things to go with them, was the wish of all that partook of their hospitality on the long to be remembered occasion.

The Sewing Machine.

Among the greatest revolutions of modern times must be ranked that which has been effected in domestic affairs by the Sewing Machine. If the steam engine nearly doubled the sum of human life, and multiplied a thousand-fold the power of mankind, so, also, has this great labor saving invention. How clearly was its efficiency manifested during the gigantic war just ended! How could the millions of men who were sent into the field ever have been supplied promptly with outfits without the tireless, lightning-like fingers of this little instrument?

Few who are not traveling extensively through the country are aware how universal, ly this machine has taken the place of the old wearisome needle. Perhaps an idea of the extent of this substitution can not be better obtained than by a glance at the magnitude of some of the manufactories. Of the number of the rival establishments, let us take one of the leading one for an example. At the GROVER & BAKER factory, in Boston, the machinery for turning out the instrument, stands, and cabinets requires nearly five hundred men to work it. The Company conducted twenty-four sales establishments, in their own name, in different parts of the United States, and in London and Liverpool, England, and in Melbourne, Australia. They have, moreover, agencies established in all the principal cities of the Old World, and in almost every village of the New World.

The principal depot for foreign export is in this city, at No. 495 Broadway. This establishment occupies a building three stories in front on Broadway, and extending back two hundred feet to Mercer Street. Unique in design and magnificently fitted up, it ranks among the first commercial palaces in the metropolis. From this place machines are constantly being sent out to all parts of the world. They go among all ranks—not only the humble, but the very proudest.—They have been furnished, by command, to the Empress of France; the Empress of Russia; the Empress of Brazil; the Queen of Spain; and the Queen of Bavaria.

Now, remembering that, although the GROVER & BAKER Company is the leading one, there are a dozen others approximating more or less nearly to it in extent of operations, and, if we combine them all in our calculations, we may obtain some idea of the astonishing magnitude of the Sewing Machine business.

But a still more important aspect of the case is the beneficent mission it is performing in the myriad homes of our own lands.—Lightening the cares of the household, taking upon itself the burden of most exhaustive drudgery, it come like a very angel of mercy into the domestic circle, shedding sunshine and happiness around it.

We wish we had room for the many expressions of thankfulness and satisfaction we have received from correspondents relative to this valued "helpmeet." As it is, we can give but a single one:

"We were much disappointed," writes a country parson to a friend in the city, "at not being able to visit you; but the disappointment has been made up, at least so far as——is concerned, by appropriating the money we had inteneded to use for that purpose to the purchase of a GROVER & BAKER Sewing Machine. You may be sure Fanny is delighted; four children to sew for is no joke, and a GROVER & BAKER has been her dream by night and day for several years.

"It is so nearly noiseless that she has placed it in my study, and so simple in its operation that she has already learned to use it with facility, and has actually so reduced that large 'pile' of small garments as to render it possible that they may some day disappear altogether.

"At first I strongly objected to having it in the study, for fear of disturbance during my quiet hours, but soon found that it did not disturb me in the least, and now I can really write better with its sound in my ears. The only difficulty is, that Fanny is constantly jumping up to claim my admiration for some fresh achievement. One time it is the fine tucks in the baby's cambric frock; another time the stitching upon my shir, or, some still more wonderful resulting in the making of a cloth basque.

"Excuse me for devoting so much of letter to this great little machine. At present it is the principal subject of our thoughts and our conversation. It has really transformed my poor, languid, weary overworked Fanny into something like the bright, active, cheerful girl she was when ten years ago. Thank Heaven for our GROVER & BAKER!"

This testimony, given is an indirect way, and without any idea of reaching the public, is only one among ten thousand evidences of the high estimation in which the GROVER & BAKER Machine is held by familes who possess them. Into whatever household it enters it carries sunshine—sunshine which is not darkened by difficulties and complications and unsatisfactory results, but becomes brighter and brighter with every glad surprise, every new development of its admirable qualities.

Its mechanism is simple, but perfect; easily understood; exact in its working; true, as the needle to the pole, to its mission.—Under its operation the delicate folds of lace and cambric assume new beauty, and the stoutest woolen a grace which adds a charm to its usefulness. Its swift, noiseless fingers are never tired, never weary, always ready to execute the will of their mistress. Under its influence order and neatness take the place of disorder and neglect, and grace and refinement find time and room to grow and expand in the humblest homes.

Its stitch is adapted to all kinds of work, the plainest as well as the finest, and every description of material used in a family, from lace to beaver cloth. It is also very elastic, and is acknowledged, for beauty and durability, to be superior to all others. Ladies say the GROVER & BAKER is "such a comfort," because it never gets out of order, but, in its tireless activity, becomes brighter, more beautiful, and more efficient the more it is used. It has taken out more wrinkles, and beautified more women fast growing old and ugly, than the "Balm of a thousand flowers." It is the greatest lightener of household cares, and the richest domestic blessing of the nineteenth century. Ask any woman who uses one if it is not.—*Home Journal.*

NEWS ITEMS.

☞ An alarming incident occurred recently at the Zoological Garden of Stutgard. A remarkably fine lion was confined there in a cage, surrounded by a glass framework to protect the animal from cold. Mr. Werner, the proprietor, was going through a performance, and was seated on a stool in the case, when he lost his balance and fell backward. The lion immediately sprang on him and a terrible combat ensued. M'lle Werner, seeing the danger of her father, took up a heavy seat and dashed it at the glass, and the animal, terrified at the crash, released the man, who was then able to withdraw, only slightly hurt.

A serious accident occurred on the morning of the 27th, on the Hudson River Railroad. The Cincinnati express train, due in New York about 7 o'clock, A. M., was partially thrown from the track. Two cars, said to be sleeping cars, were precipitated off the bridge into the road below. One was completely broken to pieces, and the other very nearly destroyed. Three persons are reported killed, and many seriously injured. The place where the accident occurred was a small bridge over a road leading to the brick kilns near Croton.

☞ Eliphalet Nott, D.D., President of Union College, died on the morning of the 29th, at 3 o'clock, in the ninety-third year of his age. He had been for sixty-two years President of Union College.

☞ The steamer Creole, from New Orleans, via Havana, arrived in New York on the 29th. Secretary Seward and party had arrived in Havana on the 20th, and was warmly welcomed by the Captain General of Cuba, who offered his country seat for their use, but the offer was declined. The Secretary went to the hotel, were, on the 21st, he received a host of admirers, the first of whom was the Captain General. On the evening of the 22d, they attended a banquet given by General Dulce, at the palace, which, with the surrounding buildings, were illuminated.

☞ A complimentry resolution was tendered the President in congress on the 29 for refusing the present of a carriage from New York, was taken up and passed.

Mr. Julian's resolution that Jeff. Davis be immediately tried, either by military or civil court, for treason, and, if found guilty, be executed, was laid over.

The resolutions that the Committee on Elections draft a bill disfranchising rebel soldiers in the District of Columbia, was passed

The House took a recess of five minutes to receive General Sherman. He was introduced by Speker Colfax. The General replied by words of thanks.

Mr. Raymond, of New York, is delivering a speech on the representation Consistutional amendment.

PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.—We are under obligations to Senator Doolittle for copies of the Congressional Globe; also to Senator Howe for public documents. We are also under obligations to Hon. J. I. Case, of the Senate, and Hon. J. O. Bartlett, of the Assembly, for various documents.

WOOSTER'S DANCING ACADEMY.—The last school was a perfect success, showing that it had outlived all opposition in the way of *fiery elements*. The next school will be on Friday evening of this week, on which occasion there will be a sociable.

New Advertisements.

LETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED IN THE Post Office at Racine, State of Wisconsin, on January 30, 1866.

Adams, James.	Kelsey, J. V.
Bennett, House	Leggett, S.
Bacon, Charles	Lawson, Luca
Cook, Jacob	Libby, M. S.
Flenn, Charles	McGraw, John
Fischer, F. W.	Miller, Henry
Freelove, J. W.	Mitchell, Hansey Miss
Gruber, Haber	Powers, L.
Glaze, Jane Miss	Rasmusson, Lars
Goiz, Frederich	Rhodes, J. W.
Grigle, George	Rantay, Caspar
Herman, L.	Roberts, Eliza Mrs.
Howes, Luther E.	Smith, Mrs.
Hauch, Nicolaus	Sickles, Geo. E.
Hillier, S. L. Lieut.	Shaw, Charles
Hale, J. Dr.	Thornton, Joseph P.
Hommes, Oretin	Van Vliet, D. C.
Hell, C. Mr.	Whitney, Kate Miss 2
Jackman, Mattie E. Miss	Wright, Caroline Mrs.
Jensen, I. P.	

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If not called for within *one month*, they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

JOHN TAPLEY, P. M.

DOWN, DOWN!

Wishing to reduce my Stock of

WINTER GOODS,

I will sell

Dress Goods,
Shawls,
Flannels,
Cassimeers,
Satinets,
Undershirts, and Drawers, Hoods,
Breakfast Caps, &c., &c.,

At prices that will please all. Please call and look at

GOODS and PRICES.

Jan. 30, 1866. B. F. WEEKS.

NEW GOODS.

I am receiving New Goods every week, consisting in part of

NEW PRINTS,
NEW DELAINES,
NEW GINGHAMS,
NEW SHEETINGS,
Hoop and Balmoral Skirts.
Flannels and Woolen Goods.

With other Goods too numerous to mention, all at low prices.
Jan. 30, 1866. B. F. WEEKS.

WASHINGTON HOUSE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS LATELY purchased the Washington House, formerly kept by Joseph Schweitzer. The proprietors are well known in this city. They have thoroughly

Refitted the Hotel,

and it will now be kep as a first-class hotel.
tf HENRY SCHMIT & BRO.

CLIPPINGS.

THE IMPORTANCE OF PUNCTUATION.—Wanted—A young man to take charge of a pair of horses of a religious turn of mind.

Sugars lower than ever at Thorpe & Gerton's old stand.

Parasol.—A protection against the sun, used by ladies made of cotton and whalebone.

Try that English Breakfast Tea at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A newspaper says: A child was run over by a wagon three years old and cross-eyed with pantalets on which never spoke afterwards.

More of that choice Young Hyson Tea at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

Straps.—Article worn under the boots of of gentlemen made of calf-skin.

Perfumes hair oil's and toilette soaps manufactured at the Societie Hygineique Paris.

Choicest articles in the market at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

An exchange describing a celebration, says: The procession was very fine and nearly two miles in length as was also the prayer of Dr. Perry the Chaplin.

The city Tea Mart is Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A school committee man writes: We have a school house large enough to accommodate four hundred pupils four stories high.

Fresh roasted coffee every day at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

Queen Victoria teaches a Bible class every Sunday.

Fresh Ground spices and candied fruit at Thorpe & Gorton old stand.

A stout and healthy couple at Boston have an infant five months old which weighs only three pounds. It weighed twenty-one ounce when it was born.

Try that angelica wine for invalids at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

Artemus Ward utters scathing maledictions on a Wisconsin town where he lectured. His agent took $2,87 at the door, while Artemus took the measles inside.

California Port wine at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

Liquor is sold at 1,100 places in Washington, one for every ninety of the population.

Genuine Havana cigars at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A large number of vessels have been chartered to bring bamboo from Jamaica to New York, for the manufacture of paper. Paper is so high that bamboo has been experimented upon, and is found to produce a cheap and excellent article.

Get your Groceries at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A woman being enjoined to try the effect of kindness on her husband, and being told that it would heap coals of fire on his head, replied that she had tried "boiling water and it didn't do a bit of good."

Try those Teas at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A Hypocondriac of rank and fortune in Ireland fancies one of his legs of one religion, and the other of another. He frequently puts one of his unfortunate limbs outside the bedclothes in cold weather, to punish for its religious errors.

None but pure drugs at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

The new hotel at New Orleans, refused to receieve guests from the North. The hotel is crowded with Southerners, who occupy themselves in denouncing the "Yankee Government," and talking treason.—*Exchange.*

That's a reconstructed hotel, we suppose.

Genuine old Govt. Java at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A young lady recently returned from boarding school, being asked at the table if she would take some more cabbage, replied, "By no means, madam, gastronomical satiety admonishes me that I have arrived at the ultimate culinary degitation consistent with the code of Esculapius."

Only one price at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

When Lord Alvanley fought a duel with Morgan O'Connell, several shots were exchanged, after which the seconds interfered and stopped the proceeding. "O'Connell must be a very clumsy fellow," said Alvanley, on his way home, "or he never would have missed such a fat fellow as I am. He ought to practice at a haystack to get his hand in. He gave the hackney coaceman a sovereign. "It is a great deal for only having taken your lordship to Wimbledon," said the coachman. "My good man," said Alvanley, "I gave it to you, not for taken me, but for bringing me back."

Get your Tea at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

A PROMISING BOY.—The net promising son of an anxious parent has been employed, at board, in a store, for about six months. Parent writes to head of concern, asking how boy gets along, and if he sleeps in the store. Head of concern writes briefly: "Boy good as ever. Sleeps in the store daytimes; don't know where in thunder he sleeps at night."

Experienced drug clerks at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

Bayard Taylor has brought home from Europe the seed of the real Latakia tobacco, which he planted, and this year he raised a few plants, probably the first ever grown in this country. It is a distinct species, with a pale, yellow blossom, and a broad velvety leaf. Next year he will distribute the seed.

Brushes and Combs in every variety at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

In Paris the fashion of three-cornered hats for ladies is reviving.

English Breakfast Tea at Thorpe & Gerton's old stand.

In a bookseller's catalogue lately appeared the following article: "Memoirs of Charles the First—with a head capitally executed.

Powdered, Granulated, Crushed Coffee; Porto Rico and Brown Sugars at Thorpe & Gorton's old stand.

FRESH CANNED FRUITS AT BLISS & ERB'S

SPECIAL NOTICES.

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections.—The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return mail, will please address REV. EDWARD WILSON,
21y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

Errors of Youth.

A gentleman who suffered for years, from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,
2-1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

Strange But True.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail [free of charge,] by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant, THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
2-1y 831 Broadway, New York.

TO THE YOUTHS OF AMERICA.

LUXURIANT WHISKERS AND MOUSTACHES IN NINE WEEKS!

On the Receipt of ONE DOLLAR, I will mail to any address one bottle of my Onguent which I will warrant to produce a **Luxuriant Pair Of Whiskers or Moustaches** on the smoothest face in less than two months. Address

C. L. JACKSON,
47-tf P. O. Box 82, Racine, Wis.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

CHAPMAN'S ILLUSTRATED GUIDE,

A beautiful little work of 50 pages, teaches you how to remove Tan, Freckles, Pimples, Blotches, Eruptions, and all impurities of the Skin, how to produce a full growth of Whiskers, how to produce a luxuriant growth of Hair on a Bald Head, cure Catarrh, Purify the Breath—to curl and Beautify the Hair, Remove Superfluous Hair, cure Drunkenness, cure Nervous Debility, &c., &c.—how to Renew your age, and other useful and valuable information.

A copy of this work will be mailed free of charge, on application. Address THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
Chemist and Perfumer, 831 Broadway, N. Y.
47-3m

A Card to the Suffering.

DO YOU WISH TO BE CURED? If so, swallow two or three hogsheads of "Buchu," "Tonic Bitters," "Sarsaparilla," "Nervous Antidotes," &c., &c., &c., and after you are satisfied with the result, then try one box of OLD DOCTOR BUCHAN'S ENGLISH SPECIFIC PILLS—and be restored to health and vigor in less than thirty days. They are purely vegetable, pleasant to take, prompt and salutary in their effects on the broken-down and shattered constitution. Old and young can take them with advantage. DR. BUCHAN'S ENGLISH SPECIFIC PILLS cure in less than thirty days, the worst cases of NERVOUSNESS, Impotency, Premature Decay, Seminal Weakness, Insanity, and all Urinary, Sexual and Nervous Affections, no matter from what cause produced.—Price one Dollar per box. Sent, postpaid, by mail, on receipt of an order. Address JAMES S. BUTLER,
No. 429, Broadway, New York, Gen'l Agent.

P. S.—A box sent to any Address on receipt of price—which is *One Dollar—post free.* ☞ A descriptive Circular sent on application. 47-3w

A Cough, Cold, or Sore Throat,

REQUIRES IMMEDIATE ATTENTION, AND SHOULD BE CHECKED. IF ALLOWED TO CONTINUE,

Irritation of the Lungs, a Permanent Throat Affection, or an Incurable Lung Disease

IS OFTEN THE RESULT.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

HAVING A DIRECT INFLUENCE TO THE PARTS, GIVE IMMEDIATE RELIEF.

For Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases,

TROCHES ARE USED WITH ALWAYS GOOD SUCCESS.

SINGERS AND PUBLIC SPEAKERS

will find *Troches* useful in clearing the voice when taken before Singing or Speaking, and relieving the throat after an unusual exertion of the vocal organs. The *Troches* are recommended and prescribed by physicians, and have had testimonials from eminent men throughout the country. Being an article of true merit, and having *proved* their efficacy by a test of many years, each year finds them in new localities in various parts of the world, and the *Troches* are universally pronounced better than other articles.

OBTAIN only "BROWNS BRONCHIAL TROCHES," and do not take any of the *Worthless Imitations* that may be offered.

Sold everywhere in the United states, and in Foreign Countries, at 35 cents per box. 44-6m

A CROWN OF GLORY.

EVERY MAN. Woman and Child who has used

STERLING'S AMBROSIA

Is willing to recommend it. Three years of rapidly increasing sale have made the Ambrosia famous all over the world.

IT IS WARRANTED TO PLEASE.

It cures Itching of the Head.
It makes New Hair grow on Bald Heads.
It prevents the Hair from Falling Out.
It renders the Hair Soft and Glossy.

Cleanses the Scalp; Cools the Heated Brow; Removes Dandruff; cures Nervous Headache; Cures Baldness; Insures Luxuriant Locks; Inclines Hair to Curl; Supersedes Wigs; Kills Hair Eaters. Good effect apparent at once.

TO THE LADIES WE SAY,

The Ambrosia will suit you to a T. Elegantly put up. Delicately Perfumed. Patronized by Opera Singers and Actresses. Sold in splendid boxes or cartons, containing two large bottles—No. 2 for morning, No 1 for evening.

THERE IS NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT.

STERLING'S AMBROSIA is the best, most agreeable and effective toilet in the world. To prove this, try a carton. Sold by all Druggists.

Sterling's Ambrosia Manufacturing Co.
215 Fulton Street, New York. 40

Errors of Youth.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous and Genital Debility, Nightly Emissions, and Seminal Weakness, the result of youthful indiscretion, and came near ending his days in hopeless misery, will, for the sake of suffering man, send to all who need it, (free of charge,) the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy used in his case. Sufferers wishing to profit by his advice Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's sad experience, and possess a sure and valuable remedy, can do so by addressing him, at once at his place of business.—The Recipe and full information—of vital importance—will be cheerfully sent by return mail.
JOHN B. OGDEN,
No. 60, Nassau St., New York.

P. S. Nervous Sufferers of both Sexes will find this information invaluable. 47-3m.

Love and Matrimony.

Ladies and gentlemen, if you wish to marry, address the undersigned, who will send you, without money and without price, valuable information that will enable you to marry happily and speedily, irrespective of age, wealth, or beauty. This information will cost you nothing, and if you wish to marry, I will cheerfully assist you. All letters strictly confidential. The desired information sent by return mail, and no questions asked. Address,
SARAH B. LAMBERT,
47-3m Greenpoint Kings Co., New York.

Do You Wish to be Cured?

Put not the poisoned chalice to your lips,
Or *Death* will be the fate of him who sips;
But take the herbs in freshness from the field,
And to the potent roots disease will yield.

Old DR. BUCHAN'S *English Specific Pills* cure, in less than thirty days, the worst cases of *Nervousness*, Impotency, Premature Decay, Seminal Weakness, Insanity and all Urinary, Sexual or Nervous Affections, no matter from what cause produced. Price One Dollar per box.—Sent postpaid, by mail, on receipt of an order. Address JAMES S. BUTLER,
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P. S.—Descriptive Circular sent free on application.—Address as above. 47-3w.

New Advertisements.

BOOTS AND SHOES!



BELOW COST!

SAVED FROM THE RACINE FIRE.

THEY MUST BE SOLD AT SOME PRICE.

JOSEPH MILLER,

ONE of the Sufferers by the late fire, has again

COMMENCED BUSINESS,

at No. 189 Masonic Block, where he may be found at any time, selling off his Stock of Boots and Shoes,

VERY CHEAP.

He has also opened a large stock in

Kenosha,

OF

Custom-made Boots & Shoes,

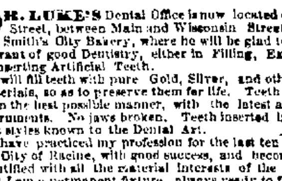
Of every style and price usually found in a first-class Boot and Shoe Store, Eastern and Custom-made Men's and Boy's Boots and Shoes, Ladie's Gaitors and Balmorals, Misses and Children's wear, &c.

These goods, though with few marks of fire upon them, will be sold at prices unheard of since the breaking out of the rebellion.

J. Bond's Building, opposite the First National Bank.

Jan. 30, 1866.

DENTAL CARD.



DR. LUKE'S Dental Office is now located on Sixth Street, between Main and Wisconsin Streets, over Mr. Smith's City Bakery, where he will be glad to see all in want of good Dentistry, either in Filling, Extracting or Inserting Artificial Teeth.

I will fill teeth with pure Gold, Silver, and other good materials, so as to preserve them for life. Teeth extracted in the best possible manner, with the latest approved instruments. No jaws broken. Teeth inserted in all the best styles known to the Dental Art.

I have practiced my profession for the last ten years in the City of Racine, with good success, and become fully identified with all the material interests of the city, so that I am a permanent fixture, always ready to fulfill my obligations and make good my promises, not here to-day, and gone to-morrow.

Jan. 30, 1866.tf. J. C. LUKE, Dentist.

MULTUM IN PARVO!

$100,000

WORTH OF

DRY GOODS!

FOR SALE AT

138 Main Street.

PURCHASERS OF DRY GOODS should not think of Buying without first examining this Mammoth stock of Cheap and Standard goods, the principal portion of which was purchased during the late

DEPRESSION IN THE MARKETS.

The subscriber having at present a

Resident Buyer

IN THE MARKETS

Customers can depend on finding at 138, Main Street,

NOVELTIES & BARGAINS!

As such are produced and offered for sale in

BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

4-tf E. McENERY.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT FOR RACINE COUNTY, ss.
ANTONY HANSON, plaintiff, against JOHN MENARY and ELLEN MENARY, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at the city of Racine, in said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in the city of Racine within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service. And if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

PAINE & MILLET,
Plff's Attorneys.

Dated this 29th day of January, A. D. 1866.

Dr. MARK'S SYPHILITIC CURE.

This Celebrated Remedy is an Infallible Cure for SYPHILIS in the Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Stages.

IN ALL LARGE CITIES THERE EXists a contagious SEXUAL disease called SYPHILIS, which is capable of transmission by inoculation.

DR. MARK'S SYPHILITIC CURE

is the only medicine that will cure SYPHILIS in all its various and complicated forms, and thoroughly eradicate the syphilitic poison or virus from the system.

SYMPTOMS OF THE FIRST OR PRIMARY STAGE.

This is known by chancres or ulcers appearing soon after an exposure. To cure the first stage, use Dr. Mark's Syphilitic Cure Pills and Syphilitic Wash, etc., which never fails to cure Syphilis in a few days. From five to fifteen days faithful treatment usually suffices to cure the first stage. One or two packages never fails to cure the stage. ☞ Price per package, $12 50.

SYMPTOMS OF THE SECONDARY STAGE OF SYPHILIS.

This is known by the following: Ulcers in the Mouth, Nose, Throat, Glands, Skin, Head, Nails, Mucous Membranes, Cancerous Sores on the Arms and Legs, Eruptions on the Skin, Scrofula, etc. To cure the second stage, use Dr. Mark's Syphilitic Cure Pills and Throat Wash, if the throat is ulcerated—if not, omit the wash. These medicines are an infallible cure for this stage if used a sufficient length of time to eradicate the poison from the system. ☞ Price per package, $10 50, including Throat Wash—if ommitted, $9 00 per package.

SYMPTOMS OF THIRD OR TERTIARY STAGE SYPHILIS.

This stage is known by the following symptoms:—Nodes or hard and painful Tumors on the Bones, Enlargements of the Joints, or Contractions, Hard Pains in the Bones and Joints, Caries or Decay of the Bones, Syphilitic Rheumatism, Alteration of the Parts, etc. To cure the Third or Tertiary Stage, use Dr. Mark's Syphilitic Cure and Pills. These medicines will cure the longest standing and worst cases. They will cure the most excruciating pains in the Bones and Joints in a few days. ☞ Price per package, $9.00.

Advice to the Afflicted.

Read the symptoms above described of each stage of Syphilis, and procure at once the medicines for the stage with which you suffer. They will effectually cure you.

A Treatise on Syphilitic Diseases, giving plain directions to cure the different stages, accompanies each package of the medicine.

N. B.—DR. MARK'S SYPHILITIC CURE AND PILLS are an infallible cure for RHEUMATISM, no matter how long standing or how bad. They remove the cause, and the cure is CERTAIN AND PERMANENT. ☞ Price $9 00 per package.

☞ The Medicines will be sent by Express to all parts of the country, on receipt of the money, and 25 cents additional to pay for boxing and shipping.

☞ Prepared and sold by Dr. D. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth street, St. Louis, Mo., and at their Branch store, No. 99 Madison street, Chicago, Illinois.

DR. EASTERLY'S Vegetable Pain Killer

Will cure Bruises, Sprains, Headache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Colic, Cramps or Spasms, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery or Bowel Complaints, Nervous Affections, Pain in the Face, Painters' Colic, Ague in the Face, Pain in the Back and Limbs, and, in fact, wherever it is applied.

PAIN CANNOT EXIST.

THIS IS THE MOST SPEEDY AND Efficacious Medicine ever discovered, to relieve persons suffering PAIN. It is used internally and externally with never-failing success. As a Family Medicine is it is valuable.

DR. EASTERLY'S PAIN KILLER

Is the best remedy known for the Cure of CHOLERA—Should that awful scourge again visit the United States, as it is feared it will, every family should supply themselves with this Medicine, to use in the early stage of the disease.

Price 75 cents per bottle.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold at their Branch Medicine Store, No. 99 Madison street, Chicago, Ill.

LADIES, READ THIS. Dr. HOOPER'S FEMALE CORDIAL.

This Elegant and Popular Medicine will Cure all Female Complaints, such as Excessive, Painful or Suppressed Menstruation, Lucorrhea or Whites, Falling of the Womb, and all Irregularities of the Monthly Periods. It will also bring on the Menses when checked by Colds, and all unnatural causes.

FEMALES SUFFERING UNDER ANY of the difficulties above enumerated, should not fail to use

Dr. HOOPER'S FEMALE CORDIAL.

It is the most pleasant and infallible remedy ever invented for the cure of female complaints. Ladies, try it.

Price $1 50 per bottle.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold at their Branch Family Medicine Store, No. 99 Madison street, Chicago, Ill.

DR. EASTERLY'S Fever and Ague Killer

Will Cure Ague and Fever, Chills and Fever, Dumb Ague, Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, and every form of Fever incident to the West.

This celebrated and infallible remedy has been fifteen years established in St. Louis, and is universally known throughout the great Mississippi Valley, as the only reliable medicine for the cure of Ague and Fever in all its forms. Ague and fever sufferers, an infallible prescription is here presented you,

TO CURE AGUE AND FEVER:

Take a dose of Dr. Easterly's Family Pills, and when done operating, take Dr. Easterly's Fever and Ague Killer, as directed on the bottle, which will stop the Ague and Fever the FIRST DAY. Then, to prevent its return, take the Ague Killer three times a day, on the seventh, fourteenth, twenty-first and twenty-eighth days, dating from the last chill and fever, and you will be

PERMANENTLY CURED!

Let every man, woman and child try it, and if you find it to be true, tell it to your friends.

☞ Price of Ague Killer $1 50 per bottle. Pills 60 cents per box—40 pills in a box.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold at their Branch Family Medicine Store, No. 99 Madison street, Chicago, Ill.

DR. COOK'S MAGIC HAIR OIL.

Is the most perfect and admirable article ever discovered for the Preservation, Beauty, Growth and Restoration of the Hair.

IT SOFTENS, BEAUTIFIES, AND Strengthens the Hair, prevents it from falling off and becoming permanently gray, removes the dandruff, and turns harsh unruly hair into that which is smooth, glossy, lively and beautiful.

DR. COOK'S MAGIC HAIR OIL

Is the best TONIC known, and will produce a luxuriant growth of NEW HAIR on BALD HEADS in all cases where artificial means can be of any avail. The most intelligent and beautiful Ladies and Gentlemen in St. Louis use it, and regard it an indespensable article for the toilet.

Price 75 cents per bottle.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth street, St. Louis, Mo.; also for sale at their Branch Family Medicine Store, No. 99 Madison street, Chicago, Ill.

GRIDLEY'S Salt Rheum and Tetter Ointment

Will cure Salt Rheum, Tetter, Scald Head, Prairie and Barbers' Itch, Illinois Mange, Missouri Scratches, Scrofula, Obstinate Old Sores, Pimples on the Face, and all Diseases and Eruptions on the Skin.

BUT to effect a PERMANENT and RADICAL CURE of Scrofulous and Skin Diseases of every kind, we recommend

DR. EASTERLY'S Iodine and Sarsaparilla.

To be used INTERNALLY, which purifies the BLOOD and removes the CAUSE; and then by applying the Ointment to the sores or parts, a speedy and permanent cure will be effected. Both are advised to be used in these complaints.

Price—the Iodine and Sarsaparilla, $1 50 per bottle.

Price—Gridley's Salt Rheum and Tetter Ointment, 75 cents per bottle.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70, North Fifth Street, St. Louis, Mo., Sole Proprietors.

Sold at their Branch Family Medicine Store, 99 Madison Street, Chicago, Ill.

DR. EASTERLY'S AMERICAN LINIMENT.

Will cure Bruises, Sprains, Cuts, Wounds, Rheumatism, Contracted Tendons, Swelled Joints, Lumbago, Tumors, all Local and Seated Pains, and all diseases where an External Remedy is required.

THIS Liniment is, beyond all doubt, the most efficacious remedy ever offered the public. Its volatile, penetrating, soothing and healing properties diffuse themselves to the very bones, and give the sufferer almost instant relief.

Such powerful curative properties are combined in

Dr. Easterly's American Liniment,

that it rapidly cures the WORST WOUNDS on MAN and BEAST. Every family should keep it constantly on hand.

Price—75 cents per bottle.

Prepared and sold by Dr. E. EASTERLY & CO., No. 70 North Fifth Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold at their Branch Family Medicine Store, No. 99, Madison Street, Chicago, Ill.

For Sale by

FULLER, FINCH & FULLER, AND BURNHAM & VAN SCHAACK AND ALL THE WHOLEALE DRUGGISTS OF CHICAGO. AND THE DRUGGISTS OF RACINE.

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GOOD COFFEE At Bliss & Erb's.

City & Local Matters.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31, 1866.

Departure of Trains and Closing of Mails.

Departure of Trains.		*Closing of Mails*
Going South—	8.48 A. M.	8.15 A. M.
" "	5.42 P. M.	5.00 P. M.
Freight,	8.15 P. M.	
Going North—	12.12 noon.	11.40 A. M.
" "	7.29 P. M.	7.00 P. M.
Freight,	2.25 A. M.	
Going West—	10.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M.
" "	5.45 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
Freight,	9.30 P. M.	

JOHN TAPLEY, P. M.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Monday, November 28th, trains will leave and arrive at Chicago, as follows:

WISCONSIN DIVISION.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Day Passenger	9-00 A. M.	8 45 P. M.
Night Passenger	4-30 P. M.	5-00 A. M.
Woodstock Accommodation	3-00 P. M.	10-30 A. M.
Janesville Passenger	6-15 P. M.	9-15 P. M.
Madison Passenger	4-30 P. M.	2-15 P. M.

GALENA AND IOWA DIVISIONS.

Fulton and Cedar Rapids Pass	8-15 A. M.	7-30 P. M.
Freeport and Dunleith Pass.	9-00 A. M.	8-30 P. M.
Dixon Accommodation	4-00 P. M.	11-10 A. M.
Rockford "	4-00 P. M.	11-10 A. M.
Fox River Valley Accom	4-00 P. M.	11-10 A. M.
Geneva Accommodation	5-30 P. M.	8-40 A. M.
Iowa Express Passenger	7-00 P. M.	5-00 A. M.
Freeport and Dunleith Pass.	9-15 P. M.	1-50 A. M.

The Night Passenger train leaves Dunleith and Freeport going East Sunday night instead of Saturday. The 7.00 P. M. Iowa Express leaves Chicago Sunday night instead of Saturday. Sleeping Cars on all night trains.

G. M. WHEELER, General Ticket Agt. GEO. L. DUNLAP, General Sup't.

Advertisers will please to bring in their Advertisments as early as Tuesday Forenoon.

☞ Joy, Coe & Co., Publishers' Agents, Tribune Buildings, New York, Brown's Iron Building, Phildelphia, are authorized to contract for adverstising in our paper.

☞ About ten o'clock last Saturday morning, fire was discovered issuing from the large barn belonging to Congress Hall, and almost instantly the upper part of the building was enveloped in flames. It was impossible to get any of the stock from the barn, and a horse and four cows were burned to death. A party of men endeavored to cut a hole through the side of the building, to let the cattle out, and had almost succeeded when they were driven away by the intense heat. Then through the hole that had been cut could be seen one of the cows, writhing and plunging amid the flames, and making desperate efforts to escape from the fire that was crisping and scorching the flesh from her body. It was with the greatest exertions that the buildings opposite were saved.

The loss to Mr. Raymond, the proprietor of the Congress Hall, will reach as high as $2,500. There was no insurance on the property. Captain Tiidsley, who is boarding at the Hall, was also a loser. He had a portion of his household furniture, which was boxed up, and consisted of silver, plate and many valuable articles, which for want of room he was unable to use. His loss will be over $800. Mr. Albert Stebbins also lost a quantity of tools, which he had stored there for a short time. $300 would not replace his loss.

Suspicion at once pointed to the cook, a negro named Oliver Williams, as the incendiary, and he and his wife were promptly arrested by Marshal Barker. The following facts, sworn to by Williams' wife, are so far all the proof that there is against the prisoner: He and his wife lived unhappily together, and quarrelled incessantly, and so great became the annoyance that Mr. Raymond discharged him, and he left and went to board on Chippewa street. At the time of his discharge he was heard to say that Raymond would suffer for it. The morning of the fire Williams went out about half past six o'clock, and about eight he came back and soon left. The next time he came back he was very much excited, and told his wife that the Congress Hall barn was burning, and that they must leave town. His wife refused to go.—Then he wanted a razor to cut his throat, and made repeated demands and a search for one. Not finding it, he sat down, exclaiming, "Well, we will both be arrested, and go to h—l together!" This conduct, together with the fact that a diabolical attempt was made to fire the Hall on the same night of his discharge, points to him as the auther of this work.

MEDICAL GRADUATES.—Of the whole number of students who last evening graduated at Rush Medical College, nearly one-half have been in the medical service of the army. Mr. J. T. Wilson, one of this number, was for four and one half years assistant surgeon of the 11th Wisconsin infantry, and enters upon his new sphere of duties with an invaluable field of experience."

We find the above in a Chicago paper of last week, and we congratulate Dr. John Wilson that he has passed his examination so creditably to himself. The Dr. is a Racine Boy, and he has a host of friends here who will hear of his success with pleasure, and who will wish him well at every step in the upwrrd path of his profession. One thing we will state of Dr. Wilson's military career, that when he entered the service, it was as a private, and that he was engaged in several battles, where he showed courage unsurpassed by any, before he was promoted to a position in the medical department, and his promotion is wholly owing to his superior ability. He had no help from political friends. The Dr. will surely succeed in the profession which he has chosen, if he only does half as well in the future as he has done in the past.

MASONIC SACIABLE.—The second of the series of Sociables given by the Masons of this city, will take place next Thursday evening, February 1st, at the Lodge Room. Before the party begins, there will be a public installation of the officers of the Commandary, and all those who have cards of invitation to the Sociable, are invited to be present and witness the ceremony. After the officers have been installed, the dance will take place. We also understand that refreshments will be served in the ante-room of the Lodge. It is needless to say anything in praise of these parties. The past ones, with so many pleasant recollections connected with them, are the criterion by which to judge of the party that will take place next Thursday evening.

ABOUT COMMUNICATIONS.—We have received several communications recently, pertaining to our city matters, in connection with what was once the Racine and Mississippi Railroad, now Western Union. We have not published them, for the reason that we thought they were not calculated to imbue our citizens with the right spirit; or, at least we think some of their suggestions are premature. We have been studying upon this matter, and next week we shall tell our citizens what we think of it.

Malt Vinegar, pure, from acid, at John Kimber's.

☞ Kenosha is justly noted for its jolly good fellows, who carry big and generous hearts in their bosoms, and who are ever ready to entertain any one who may happen to visit their city. There is a genial hospitality about the Kenosha boys, that always makes it pleasant to be with them—a warmheartedness that is sure to make one respect them. But there is still another thing Kenosha is noted for, and that is for the handsome girls that live there, the very sight of whom instantly places a susceptible youth with the goners; and they too possess that easy, charming manner that makes the stranger feel at home at once, and the more one knows them the better does he like them.

Last week there was a merry party of these same Kenosha young folks in the city. We wouldn't undertake to say how many there were, or how many cutters it took to bring them. Among the few we met were: Jas. Bridgman, Chas. Foster, E. W. Lee, Ed. Cosgrave, W. A. Reed, Mr. Goldsworthy, and Miss Lee, Miss Gertie Sykes, Miss Hattie Smith, and Miss Newbury. The party stopped at the Baker House, where Taber had a supper prepared for them, that he is capable of getting up when he tries. In the evening they had a dance, which was kept up until about twelve o'clock, when they started for home. If they only enjoyey their visit half as well as we fortunate ones who were invited to attend the dance in the evening, they certainly were amply repaid for coming, and we hope to see them often in our city, for they always bring with them an atmosphere of pleasure.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—Again it becomes our painful duty to record the death of another of our most prominent citizens, Mr. Nelson Pendleton, who died on Monday evening, January 29. Mr. Pendleton has been one of our most active and reliable business men for upwards of twenty years, and by all who knowhim, he was universally respected. His death is a severe loss to our city, and adds another dark page to the history of our year of calamities. Our citizens may well exclaim, in the language of Job: "Have pity upon me! Have pity upon me, O, ye, my friends, for the hand of God hath touched me." The hand of Providence has rested heavily upon our city for the past few months Five of our most prominent and active business men, besides other prominent citizens have been taken from us by Death, who seems to be holding a high court among us at this time, and the beauty and pride of our city has been laid in ashes. "He causeth it to come, whether for correction, or for his land, or for mercy." The ways of Providence are past finding out; therefore, let us humbly submit to His dispensations, and wait patiently for the day of our redemption.

☞ There was quite an exciting match of billiards last Saturday evening, between Prof. Hyer and Mr. Hardinge. They played 1,000 points up, four ball American game. Both gentlemen showed remarkable coolness throughout the game, and both made splendid shots, which were loudly cheered by those present. Mr. Hardinge was so unfortunate as to break the leather off his cue in the beginning of the game, and indeed the balls broke badly for him during the entire game. The game was won by Prof. Hyer, he beating his opponent one hundred and fifty-one points. The Professor's average was a fraction over 12, while Mr. Hardinge reached 9 and a fraction. We think this is hard to beat by men who are not professional players.

☞ We have just received *Our Young Folks*, published by Ticknor & Fields. This number contains the folllowing articles:

Puck's Work, by Gail Hamilton; The Ice Faries, by Mary L. Smith; Lessons in Magic, VI, by P. H. C.; Frostwork, by Albert Laighton; The Tale of Two Knights, II, by Charles Dawson Shanley; A Visit to Mount Vernon, by J. T. Trowbridge; The Four Seasons, by Lucretia Hale; A Summer in Leslie Goldthwait's Life, II, by author of "Faith Gartney's Childhood;" Afloat in the Forest, by Mayne Reid; Mabel's Wish; Winter Song, by Emily Huntington Miller; Round the Evening Lamp; Our Letter Box.

☞ The condition of our fire department, and the engines and hose is truly deplorable, and one that should be promptly attended to by some one. The council is powerless to act; the charter so hedges them in that they cannot make a single step. We are having more fires than for years previous, and it is high time that something should be done to protect the city. As we are situated at present, half a dozen Gullivers would do more good than all the engines combined.—While it may be best to economize, there is such a thing as being penny wise and pound foolish, and we sincerely hope that some enterprizing man will start a movement to place us on a better footing before many days have elapsed.

THE GIFT CONCERT.—We would call the attention of our readers to the fact that John Elkins has, at last consented to give another *prize concert*. The concert will come off March 14, 1866, at which time there will be distributed among the ticket holders many very valuable prizes, consisting of gold and silver watches, pianos, melodeons, jewelry, silver ware, and many other rich and costly trinkets. Everybody will, of course, want some tickets in this concert. But now is the time to buy, as the tickets are disappearing very rapidly. Patronize Elkins in preference to uncertain gift concerts in other places.

PERSONAL.—We regret that two or three complimentary notices of the prompt manner in which D. McDonald, Esq., agent for the Phœnix Insurance Company, settled the losses of his company in the late fire, were accidently left out of our paper last week, although it don't make much difference, as everybody knows Mack is right, whether it is in the paper or not.

PERSONAL.—We neglected to mention the fact last week, that our one-armed boy, Charley Chipman, got a position at Madison as Assistant Postmaster of the Assembly. That is right. They don't make any better boys than Charley, either for the field or any other position where it requires nerve or talent. We know what Charley was doing when he got winged. We saw him.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Richard W. Jones, an 8th Wisconsin soldier, who became disabled in the service, requests us to return his heart-felt thanks to the citizens of Mount Pleasant and vicinity, for their kind assistance in furnishing him means to secure his homestead.

Sugars from 18 to 23 cents per pound, Teas from 4 to 8 shillings per pound, at John Kimber's.

FREE FIGHT IN THE TOWN OF CALEDONIA.—Last Sunday night Wm. Fagan, James Owens, Edwin Kay, Thomas Flannery and James Flannery went into Mr. Elias' tavern about six miles from this city and commenced braking the furniture in the bar-room.—Mr. Elias', not relishing such demonstrations on the part of his guests, endeavored to quiet the rowdays, and with the assistance of some of his friends, who happened to be in the house at the time, the party of rough's, after a desparate fight were thrown into the street. One of the party who commenced the row was badly hurt during the melee. The next day Mr. Elias' came to the city and had a warrant issued for their arrest. Marshal Baker, assisted by dept Sheriff Gottschalk went out immediately, and the whole party were promptly arrested. Three of them were put in jail, but are now out on bail to await their trial for riot. The rioters, who are wood choppers, were drunk at the time, and the only cause for all this trouble and disturbance was bad whiskey.

FIRE.—Last Thursday night, about ten o'clock, a fire broke out in the Tannerey of Bierwtz & Co., on the north side. The building was entirely consumed and it was only by the most strenuous exertions that the fire was stopped with that building. The loss will reach over $2000; the property was insured for about half.

Mr. Bierwtz had just finished his building and had only been at work for a few days.—The loss is a severe blow to him, and one that he is illy prepared to stand.

SMALL QUANTITY.—One teaspoonful of that world renowned remedy, Coe's Dyspepsia Cure, taken after meals, will enable the most confirmed dyspeptic to eat any thing he chooses, without fear of any distressing effects. It is a blessing to all who are troubled with diseases pertaining to the stomach and bowels.

The proprietors of Coe's Cough Balsam says, taken little and often. Doctor the throat and bronchial tubes, not the stomach.

This is the secret of its success. It will not harm you to take it often, and every time you take it, you will see its beneficial effects.

☞ An adjourned annual meeting of the Racine Co. Agl. Society will be held at Masonic Hall in the village of Burlington on the 5th day of February, 1866, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time a proposition will be submitted to permanently locate the place of holding the annual fair of the society. A general attendance of those interested is solicited.

The Ex. Com. of the society will meet at the same time and place for the transction of business.

J. M. TROWBRIDGE Secy.

Burlington Jan. 9th 1866. 4-w.

TO THE LADIES, of Racine and vicinity.—I would say that I am now located one door north of the Bank of Racine, over Hubacheck's store, where I shall be glad to see all my old friends and as many new ones as can make it convenient to call. Although suffering somewhat by the loss at the fire I am still prepared to cut and make dresses, cloaks, basques, &c. &c. in the latest fashions at reasonable rates and short notice. 3-w

A CARD.—The undersigned would take this method to return their sincere thanks to Messrs Dr. Rice, A. O. Burch, R. G. Howell and others for the service they rendered in saving our things at the late fire, and also to Messrs Burch & Co. for storing the same until we could procure rooms for them.

A. J. CUTTING.
S. CUTTING.

DONATION VISIT.—The friends of the Rev. C. D. Jones will meet at the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church on Thursday eve., Feb. 1, at 7½ o'cloc P. M. All are invited to attend.

RACINE, Jan, 22d, 1866.

DONATION VISIT.—The friends of the Rev. W. H. Sampson will make him a donation visit at the parsonage, on Wednesday evening, January 30, 1866.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—The Rev. Mr. Mann Unitarian minister, from Kenosha, will preach at the Church of the Good Shepherd, next Sunday evening, February 4, 1866, at the usual hour.

FARM FOR SALE.—Consisting of 103 acres, of which 20 is timber; 30 it an orchard; the balance of it is to grass and under the plow. Buildings good — situated three miles southwest from Racine city. I harvested from the orchard last year 3,000 bushels of apples. I will sell with or without timber, as purchaser may choose.

2-7 HURON BEEBE.

☞ If you have any clean cotton Rags, take them to JOHN KRANTZ, 159 Maine st., and he will give you THREE AND HALF CENTS per lb. in cash, or 4 cents in trade for them. If you have more than you can carry, he will send a wagon for them, *free of charge*, anywhere within the corporation limits.

☞ An Auction sale of a large amount of stock, grain, hay, beaf, cattle, and farming implements, is to take place at the Conroe and Cram farm, in the town of Mt. Pleasant, about two miles from this city, on Friday, the 2d of February, which will attract the attention of farmers and others.

4-2w

MONEY.—Persons having unsettled accounts with me, before January 1st, 1866, will please call and settle.

Jan. 30, 1866.—2w. B. F. WEEKS.

WANTED.—For which I pay cash, oats, buckwheat, corn, beans, potatoes, butter, eggs, &c.

JOHN KIMBER.

FOR SALE.—A new, light, skeleton wagon, got up on the most approved plan. Enquire at this office.

D. D. M. & Co. Baltimore Oysters, large and full cans, cheap at John Kimber's.

☞ Twenty one-half barrels of nice Lake Herring for sale low by

2 tf JOHN KIMBER.

☞ All those that are indebted to me will please to settle up to January 1st, 1866.

jan3-1m H. G. WILLIAMS.

☞ Sugars, Teas, and Coffees for sale low. JOHN KIMBER.

☞ County Scrip for sale at Geo. Bul & Co.'s. d20.

DIED

In this city, January 29, at 9 o'clock, P. M., of congestion of the brain, Mr. NELSON PENDLETON, aged 56 years.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

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RACINE, October 19, 1865.

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TEAS and SUGARS, which Can't be Beat.

☞ Give us a call and we will make it for your interest to call again.

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To Whom it May Concern.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between REILAND & POWER, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Phillip Reiland will continue business at the old stand—the Western Hotel. All accounts connected with the firm will be settled by him.

PHILLIP REILAND,
JOSEPH POWERS.

Racine, Dec. 15, 1865.

GET BOOTH'S PREM. OYSTERS AT BLISS & ERB'S.

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Drs. P. R. & A. H. HOY, *PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS,* Office Corner Main and Ninth Streets, RACINE, WIS.

Racine, August 16th, 1865.—33-6m.

GET BOOTH'S OYSTERS AT BLISS & ERB'S.

Dissolution.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING BEtween SOOST, WUSTUM & NIELD is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business be continued Soost & Nield, who will assume the debts and will receive pay for all accounts.

WILLIAM SOOST,
HENRY NIELD,
1.tf FRED WUSTUM.

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H. TYRREL & Co., REAL ESTATE BROKERS, *Over the First National Bank,* Main Street, Racine, Wisconsin. 015.3m

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, MY WIFE, ELLEN A. BEYER, has, by her intimacy with a certain individual forfeited all claims to my protection. I therefore caution all persons against harboring or trusting her on my account. F. BEYER.

Racine, Jan. 17, 1866.

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We have adopted the plan of sale, now so popular, of charging a uniform price, and this price will invariably be $2.00 for each article, no matter how costly it may be. The expenses of conducting our New York Agency are paid by the sale of Certificates or Coupons, representing the various articles. These Certificates are sold at 50 cents each, or five for $2, and each Certificate will show the holder the particular article he or she is entitled to, on payment of an additional $2. If the article named on the Certificate is not desired, the holder will oblige us, when he returns the Certificate, by stating what other article of the same value he or she may prefer, and it will be sent with pleasure. *Our aim is to please*, and every means to that end will be exerted. We solicit a trial from every one who reads this notice, as we are confident of giving the utmost satisfaction.

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Amongst other articles Splendid Clocks, Gold and Silver Watches, Rings set with Diamonds, Rubies, Pearls, Garnet and other Stones (solitaire and in clusters), Ladies' sets of Jewelry, comprising Pins and Ear-rings of the most fashionable styles, set in Precious Stones of every variety, together with a large assortment of Gold and Enameled and Pearl Sets, Gold Studs and Sleeve Buttons of the most fashionable patterns, Gents' Bosom and Scarf Pins, and an endless variety of Bracelets, Chains, Musical Boxes, Head Dresses, Combs, Charms, &c. In case any of our patrons are not in want of articles of Jewelry, and would prefer Silverware, we will send, for ANY Certificate returned to us, a richly engraved SET OF CASTORS or BUTTER DISH, beautifully chased and plated.

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In affections peculiar to females, is unequaled by any other preparation, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularities, painfulness or suppression of customary evacuations, Ulceration or Schirrhous state of the Uterus, Leucorrhœ, and all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from habits of dissipation, imprudencies, or in the Decline or Change of Life.

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Those suffering from Broken-down or Delicate Constitutions, procure the Remedy at once.

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Racine, August 18th, 1865.—20-tf.

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Yours, Respectfully,
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The above firm will sell goods from this date, regardless of cost, at reduced rates, until the whole stock is sold. T. & D.

March 1865

Chicago & Milwaukee Railway.

TIME TABLE.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 5TH 1865, trains will leave Racine as follows, viz:

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger Train,	8.23 A. M.
" "	5.38 P. M.
Freight "	7.32 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger Train	11.57 A. M.
" "	7.13 P. M.
Freight Train, (Mondays excepted)	5.30 A. M.

J. D. FOSTER, Agent.

Racine, June 3, 1865. une3tf

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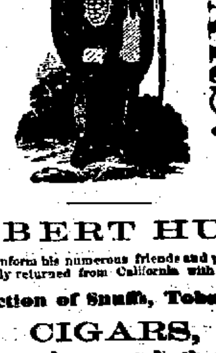
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Racine, August 18th, 1865.—40-tf.

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This is the only medicine that will cure diceases arising from an impure state of blood, viz:

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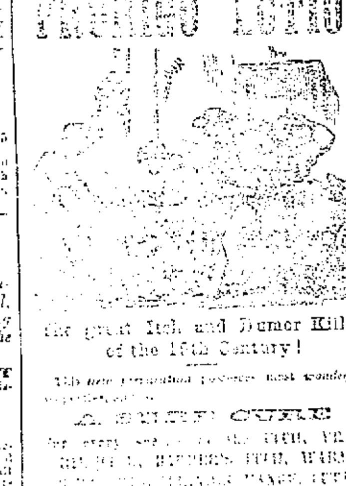
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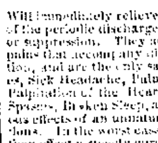
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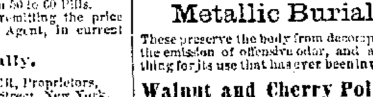
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Sept. 30th, 1865. [illegible] 3yrs

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Racine, June 16, 1865. 17

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THE SISTERS OF THE ORDER OF St. Dominic, well known in this and the adjoining States as experienced and competent Directors of Female Education, respectfully announce to the citizens of Racine, and the public in general, that this academy will be open for the reception of pupils on the 1st of November, 1864.

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Is warranted to be the only preparation known to cure Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Chronic Coughs, Consumption, Bronchitis and Croup.—Being prepared from Honey and Herbs it is healing, softening, and expectorating, and particularly suitable for all affections of the Throat and Lungs. For sale by Druggists everywhere.

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Dr. STRICKLAND'S TONIC

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RACINE, WIS.

Racine, August 23d, 1865.—39-tf.

ESTRAY.

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JAMES T. LEWIS,
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MADISON, August 14, 1865.

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GENTLEMEN,—I have been acquainted with E. B. Quiner, Esq., of this city for several years, and am convinced that he has had the materials from which he can make up a very full and interesting history of our Wisconsin military organizations. His business has been such as to give him extra facilities for gaining correct information of all troops from our state, and I think him fully capable of putting the same together in good style.

Yours truly,
LUCIUS FAIRCHILD.

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S. D. HASTINGS,
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June 1, 1865. june7

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Racine, June 14, 1865. june14-3m

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